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MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

1.1. Product name and reference

Biosynex® CryptoPS	Ref: 1120001
RDT CryptoPS	Ref: 70725

1.2. Product use

The test is an immunochromatographic test for the qualitative detection of *Cryptococcus* in serum, plasma, whole blood and cerebrospinal fluid. This kit is intended for use as an aid in the diagnosis of *Cryptococcus* infection.

1.3. Company identification

Biosynex	Tel.: 0033 388 78 78 87
22, boulevard Sébastien Brant	Fax: 0033 388 77 90 68
67400 ILLKIRCH - GRAFFENSTADEN	Mail: client.pro@biosynex.com
	Internet: www.biosynex.com

1.4. Emergency call

France: SAMU : 15
Number ORFILA: 01 45 42 59 59 (provides access to the list of poison centers and their phone number)
Other country: See your local poison information center

2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the mixture

- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [EU-GHS/CLP] and EU Directives 67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC**

The product contains Sodium azide at a concentration $\leq 0.1\%$. So this product is not a hazardous mixture as defined by the Regulation 1272/2008.

Information about the sodium azide being present in the product is related on parts 2.3 and 3.

The product also contains some substances from animal origin. It is therefore recommended to handle it according to the convenient procedures relative to infectious material.

2.2 Label elements

Regarding Regulation 1272/2008, no particular statement is required since the product is not considered as hazardous.

- **Labelling according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]**
No need
- **According to European Directive 67/548/EEC as amended.**

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No need

2.3 Other hazards (relative to sodium azide)

Even in small amount, Sodium azide may react with lead and copper plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides. Sodium azide is also rapidly absorbed through skin.

3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1. Product information

Cf. description of hazardous and non-hazardous components

3.2. Hazardous components:

Description	CAS Number	Einecs Number	Origin	Concentration in the final product	Hazard classification and risk phrase*
Sodium azide	26628-22-8	247-852-1	Chemical	≤ 0,1 % of buffer	Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]: Acute toxicity 2, Acute aquatic toxicity 1, Chronic aquatic toxicity 1 H300, H410

*For the full text of H-statements mentioned in this section, see Section 16

3.3. Non-hazardous compounds:

- Strip: Nitrocellulose membrane, Glass fiber, latex particles, Goat anti-mouse, monoclonal anti-Cryptococcus antibodies
- Diluent: saline solution containing NaCl, BSA,...
- Packaging: Aluminum foil pouches, dessicant

3.4. Confidential compounds

N/A

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General information

Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

After inhalation

Expose to fresh air.
If breathing difficult, give oxygen. Consult a physician.

After skin contact:


Rinse with water and soap for at least 15 minutes. Consult a physician if irritation extended.

After eye contact:

Flush with water for at least 15 minutes. If possible remove contact lenses. Consult doctor in case of prolonged irritation.

After swallowing:

Rinse mouth. Contact the Poison Control Center.

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5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing measures: No special measures. Adapt the measure to the environment.

Extinguishing measures to avoid: No special measures

Special risk: Fire may produce dangerous products of decomposition like Carbon oxides, Nitrite oxides, Sodium oxides, and Nitrogen oxides in very negligible quantity. No more special risk

Special protective equipment for the firefighting : Wear self-contained breathing if necessary.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

If any doubt, contact the person in charge of hygiene and safety.

6.1. Measure for individual protection:

Use lab coat and gloves.

6.2. Measure for environmental protection:

Do not throw the diluent into the sink.

6.3. Measures for cleaning and waste collection:

Collect the test in containers according to official regulation.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1. Precautions for safe handling:

Use individual protective equipment (lab coat and gloves) for biological compound handling

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:

Information about storage in one common storage facility: The equipment must be stored between 2 and 25 ° C

Further information about storage condition: Do not freeze

7.3. Particular use:


Professional in-vitro use only, See instruction for use.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION GEAR

8.1. Exposition cut off:

The product does not contain any element that exceeds the regulatory exposure limit value.

Sodium azide: VLE= 0,3 mg/m³

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Sodium azide: VME= 0,1 mg/m³

8.2. Individual exposure control:

Respiratory exposure	NA
Hand exposure	Gloves recommended
Eyes exposure	NA
Skin exposure	Port of the coat

8.3. Environmental exposure control:

Collect dipstick and buffer in containers according to the official local regulation.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1. General information:

	Device	Diluent
Aspect	Solid	liquid
Color	white	colorless
Odor	N/A	N/A

9.2. Important information relatives to health, safety and environment:

pH	neutral
Boiling point/range	N/A
Melting point/range	N/A
Inflammability	None
Explosion limit	None
Ignition temperature	N/A
Self-ignition	N/A
Flash point	N/A
Danger of explosion	N/A
Explosion limit	N/A
Relative vapor density 20 °C	N/A
Density at 20 °C	N/A
Solubility in water at 20 °C	N/A

9.3. Other information


NA

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1. Chemical stability:

No decomposition if used according to specifications

10.2. Reactivity:

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Avoid contact with acidic solutions and metal compounds

10.3. Conditions to avoid:

Do not freeze

10.4. Incompatible materials:

Halogenated hydrocarbon, Metals, strong Acid, Strong oxidizers, Acid chlorides

10.5. Hazardous decomposition products:

Vapors of chlorine, hydrochloric acid, hydrazoic acid can be formed in negligible quantities.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Immediate effects on health:

Possibility of irritation in contact buffer extraction with skin and eyes: Rinse thoroughly. Possibility of irritation if swallowed buffer extraction: Contact a poison control center.

Differed and chronic effects on health:

Sensitization

no data available

Carcinogenicity

no data available

Mutagenicity

no data available

Toxicity for reproduction

no data available

Specific effects from particular compounds:

No more known effects than described in phrase risk.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1. Toxicity

For Sodium azid: Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates:

EC50 - Daphnia pulex (Water flea) - 4,2 mg/l - 48 h

No more data available

12.2. Persistence and degradation

No data available

12.3. Bio accumulative potential

No data available

12.4. Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No data available

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16. OTHER INFORMATION

Text of H-codes mentioned in section 3

✓ Sodium azide

EC n°1272/2008 Regulation	
Hazards	Description
H300	Fatal if swallowed
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects
P phrases	Description
P264	Wash thoroughly after handling
P273	Avoid release to the environment
P301+P310	IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
P501	Dispose of contents/container to an approval waste disposal plant
European Union Specific Hazard Statements	
EUH032	Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas

The product is intended for in vitro diagnostic and destined to be used by health professionals. The test does not contain any hazardous substances beyond the limits (<0.1%). Sodium azide is present in really small quantity, the toxic risk is then considerably reduced and acceptable. The information in this document is based on the state of our current knowledge of the product. This document is composed in accordance with the Rules and Regulations REACH 1907/2006/EC and Article 31 from Directive 2001/58/EC.